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CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM
OPERATIONAL MEMORANDUM #19**

TO: Child and Adult Care Food Program Institutions

FROM: Kyle L. Guerrant, Director *(L.G.) 7-23-12*
Office of School Support Services

DATE: July 24, 2012

SUBJECT: **Rescinded - Guidance on the Prohibition of Separation by Gender During the Service of Meals in the Child Nutrition Programs – Operational Memo #9, FY 2012**

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) issued Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) Policy Memo 16-2012 on May 9, 2012. The Michigan Department of Education issued Operational Memo #9 on May 28, 2012, Guidance on the Prohibition of Separation by Gender During the Service of Meals in the Child Nutrition Programs. The USDA has rescinded CACFP Policy Memo 16-2012. MDE will issue a revised memorandum providing additional information when the USDA issues further guidance.

If you have any questions regarding this memorandum, contact the CACFP office at 517-373-7391.

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